

Activity Schedule Pull-Out

June - September 2008



Splash into Summer Fun!



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From the Director's Desk...

The Sports Complex -
A Community Effort

A fully usable park should provide all residents of all ages with opportunities to participate in a variety of passive and active pursuits. Besides sports fields, a comprehensive park offers everything from shade trees, restrooms and concession buildings, picnic pavilions equipped with picnic tables and grills to playgrounds, swing sets, water fountains and a trail system. Amenities such as these create a sense of place for all community residents to enjoy. A well-rounded facility is a place to visit and be proud of.

Nonetheless, it takes a very caring community that is willing to help in a time of need. In the past, several Culpeper organizations, local businesses, companies and individuals took the challenge seriously and provided services, supplies, equipment and donations in continuation of improving the Culpeper Sports Complex located on Route 666. But, in reality the Complex has a rather long way to go before completion.

Sometimes there is a carry-over of needs that government funding can no longer meet. New projects surface and take precedence. The necessary resources become scarce and the priority to complete a well-founded goal must shift to another use. This is where community pride can shine.



Picture: Culpeper Soccer Association donated and planted trees at the Sports Complex.

The continuing improvement of the Complex is an endeavor that all residents can take part in and in turn truly appreciate the results. The benefits that residents can experience will be formed through appreciation of a self-contained park that offers a variety of activities for the entire family. It will come from the business sector reaping additional commerce from park patrons. Attention will also focus on increased field reservations for sports tournaments and camps.

These opportunities may not be experienced unless an effort is made by the community to support the Complex and build on what is already present. The Culpeper Recreation Foundation, Inc. is a 501 (C) (3) non-profit organization created to accept donations and in-kind

assistance for the purpose of bettering parks and recreation in Culpeper County. Through numerous past contributions and involvement from community members, the Foundation has contributed approximately \$200,000 towards improvements at the Complex. This amount needs to be tripled in order to accomplish the goal of making the Complex a sense of place.

Anyone interested in offering a donation or in-kind service for the purpose of park improvements may do so by contacting the Parks and Recreation Department at 540-727-3412. Please remember an amount of \$500 or above will be recognized on a plaque located within the park, and naming opportunities are still available.

CULPEPER RECREATION FOUNDATION, INC

While the Sports Complex has been a success – all the facilities necessary to service the community are still not available. One important missing link is the 2 restroom/concession buildings! Come together and make this a true community park.

The Culpeper Recreation Foundation, Inc. is a 501(c) 3 non-profit corporation. That means that your financial contribution is TAX-DEDUCTIBLE.

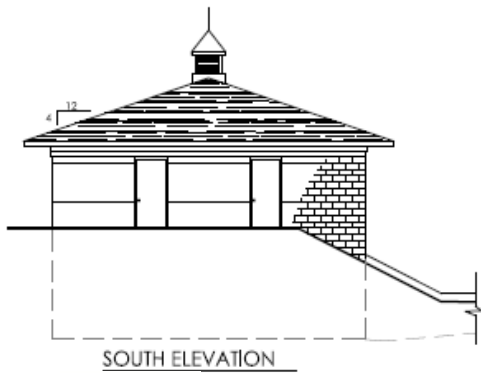
Please use the form on this page and show what the Culpeper community can do to help support its youth!

CULPEPER RECREATION FOUNDATION, INC. DONATION

The enclosed amount of \$ _____ is my contribution to help construct the two restroom/concession buildings at the Culpeper Sports Complex.

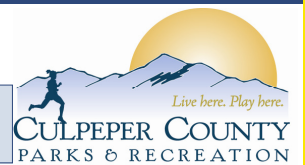
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Address: _____
City, State, Zip: _____
Email: _____
Phone: _____

Please make checks payable to:
Culpeper Recreation Foundation, Inc., P.O. Box 36, Culpeper VA 22701



Baseball restrooms / concession building

Summer Schedule



ARTS & CRAFTS



OLDE THYME PRIMITIVE COUNTRY

Ages 16-adult, 1 day

You've seen the country furniture and knickknacks that look rustic in the stores and are very expensive. Well come let Debbie



Boyd show you how to make your own, for a lot less. Class will cover supplies needed, techniques such as dry brushing and sanding. Bring your own small piece of wood furniture (foot stool, small bench or chair) to paint at the end of

class. All other supplies will be included.

Instructor: Debbie Boyd

Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main

Registration Decision: 7/3

Sa 7/12 9a-1p \$50

LITTLE PICASSOS

Ages 3 yrs – Grade 5, 6 wks

Let your little one explore their artistic abilities. Each week class begins with a short lesson on the proper use of a different medium, and then a craft will be created using the new medium.

Option A: must meet age requirement by 7/25.

No class 7/2

Instructor: In Motion Dance Center

Location: 128 W. Culpeper St, Ste 200

Registration Decision: 6/20

Wed 6/25-8/6 \$75

Option A: 3-5yr 1:00-2:00p

Option B: Grades K-2 (as of 9/08), 2:00-3:00p

Option C: Grades 3-5 (as of 9/08), 3:00-4:00p

DANCE

SWING

Ages 16-adult, 8 wks

Does the music of the big band era get your feet stomping and your head bobbing? Then we have just the thing for you! This class will teach you the popular styles of the big band dance era. Come alone, or bring a friend or family member. It promises to be fun.

Instructor: John Gentile

Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main

Registration Decision: 6/20

W 6/25-8/13 7:00-8:00p \$40single/\$72 couple

BALLROOM I

Ages 16-adult, 8 wks

Have you always wanted to learn how to dance?

This class will teach you a number of the elegant dance steps seen in many of the world's finest ballrooms. Try the Waltz, Cha-cha, Rumba, and Fox Trot, along with others.

Instructor: John Gentile

Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main

Registration Decision: 6/20

W 6/25-8/13 8:00-9:00p \$40single/\$72 couple



LINE DANCING

Ages 16-adult, 8 wks

From the boot scootin' boogie to the cowboy stomp, this class will teach you some of the most popular country line dances. If you've taken the line dance class before, it's time to sign up again. John Gentile will be teaching a whole new repertoire of dances.

Instructor: John Gentile

Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main

Registration Decision: 6/20

W 6/25-8/13 9:00-10:00p \$40single/\$72 couple

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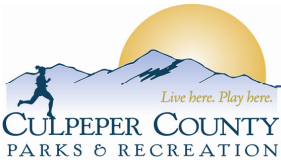
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**www.CulpeperCounty.gov/
ParksNRec**

**155 West Davis Street, Suite 100
Culpeper, Virginia 22701**

Phone: (540) 727-3412

Fax: (540) 727-2802



Summer Schedule

LEISURE LEARNING



WOMEN'S SELF DEFENSE- ASSAULT RESISTANCE METHOD™

Ages 16-adult, 4 wks

Each and every day in the United States, women fall victim to rape and other violent assaults, such as armed robbery, kidnapping and even murder. **Statistics show that 25% of women in college are sexually assaulted.** Join us for this valuable training and **A.R.M. YOURSELF.** Class will cover the types of attacks, how to respond & resist, how to report, and much more. Manual, mouth guard, and certificate of completion are included in the class fee. Wear comfortable clothes, sweat pants / shorts, t-shirt, & tennis shoes.

Instructor: Aaron Moody, FOCUS Training Academy, Inc.

Location: TBA, visit website

Registration Decision: 7/11

W 7/16-8/6 6:00-8:00p \$80

FLY FISHING CLINIC

Visit our website for details.

DIGITAL

CAMERA BASICS

Ages 16-adult,
2 wks

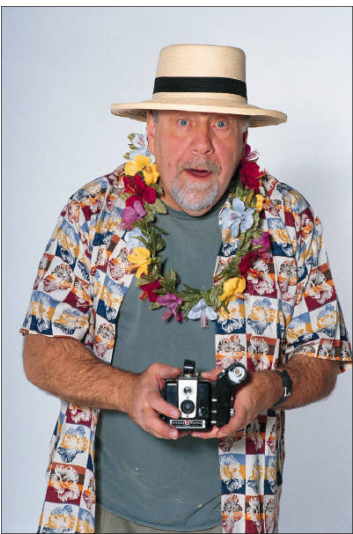
So you've got yourself a shiny new digital camera. Have you figured out how to use all the features yet? If not, this is the perfect class to get you started. Bring your camera, manual, & yourself for this introduction to using your digital camera.

Instructor: Brian Ashdown, photographer

Location: Culpeper County Library, Large Meeting room

Registration Decision: 8/1

Wed 8/6-8/13 6:00-8:00p \$35



ADVANCED DIGITAL PHOTOGRAPHY

Ages 16-adult, 6 wks

This class will focus on Digital Single Lens Reflex Cameras. Topics covered will include: Usage and operation of the camera, menu functions, options for lighting, and more. So if you have a digital single lens reflex camera and want to know more about its operation and how to use it effectively, this is the class for you.

Instructor: Brian Ashdown, photographer

Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main

Registration Decision: 6/18

Mon 6/23-7/28 6:30-7:45p \$65

PAWS, HOOFS, FEATHERS & FINS

PUPPY KINDERGARTEN

Ages: Puppies 3-5 months;

Humans 10 & up (under 16 w/ adult) 8 wks

Now that you've got that adorable bundle of fur, let's get started on the ABC's of puppy training using positive reinforcement. We will focus on attention, better behavior, and communication through verbal & visual cues.

Instructor: Betty Ann Howell

Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main

Registration Decision: 6/25

Tu 7/1-8/5 6:00-7:00p \$75

CHARM SCHOOL FOR DOGS AND KIDS

Ages: Dogs 4 months & up, Kids
7-15yrs 6 wks

Bring your kids and their dogs out to have a great time with long-time dog trainer, Betty Ann Howell. This fun and exciting class will create a stronger bond between your child and his/her pet through games, tricks, and basic cues. Must bring copy of current immunization record to first class.

Instructor: Betty Ann Howell

Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main

Registration Decision: 6/25

Tu 7/1-8/5 11:00-12:00p \$75

NOTE: Please bring a copy of your dogs current immunization record to the first class.

BEGINNING MANNERS I

Ages: Dogs 4 months & up -

Humans 10 & up (under 16 w/ adult) 6 wks

Isn't that new puppy or dog just absolutely adorable? But how about its behavior? Does your puppy/dog need to learn some manners? If so, then here's the solution. Bring Fido out to this class where he/she will learn basic commands and enjoy socializing with other dogs. Any dog, whether they're 4 months or 4 years, can attend.

Instructor: Betty Ann

Howell

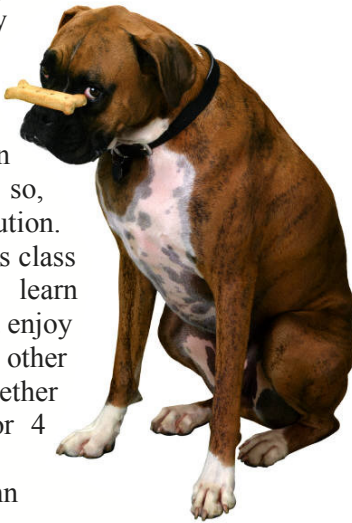
Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main

Registration Decision: 6/25

Tu 7/1-8/5 \$75

Option A: 10:00-11:00a

Option B: 7:00-8:00p



BEGINNING MANNERS II

Ages: Dogs 4 months & up -

Humans 10 & up (under 16 w/ adult) 6 wks

Prerequisite: Must have taken the Puppy Kindergarten, Beginning Manners, other dog obedience class, or placement by instructor.

Now that your wonderful bundle of fur knows the basics of obedience: sit, stay, and come; it's time to work on encouraging him to listen to your commands every time. Keep building the bond between you and your dog by helping him/her be the best companion he/she can be.

Instructor: Betty Ann Howell

Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main

Registration Decision: 6/27

Th 7/3-8/7 6:00-7:00p \$75

DOG OBEDIENCE DISCOUNTS

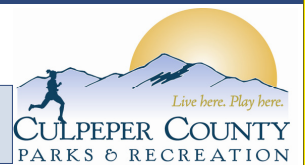
* Seniors - 55 & up - 10% discount

* 2nd dog in same family—10% discount

* Dogs adopted from Culpeper Animal Shelter - 20% discount - must provide copy of adoption contract

* Only one discount per dog per family.

Summer Schedule



CANINE GOOD CITIZEN / INTRO TO PET THERAPY



Ages: Dogs 6 months & up;
Humans 10 & up (under 16
w/ adult) 6 wks

Prerequisite: Must have taken
the Beginning Manners I or II, other dog obedi-
ence class, or placement by instructor.

This class will help you and your best friend
pass the 10 steps required to receive a Canine
Good Citizen certification. Additionally, train-
ing will enhance the bond between you and your
best friend.

Instructor: Betty Ann Howell

Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main

Registration Decision: 6/27

Th 7/3-8/7 7:00-8:00p \$75

All Riding classes: The first class spends
time on basic grooming, how to tack your horse
(putting on the saddle / bridle), and safety
around the horses. **Students must wear hard
sole shoes with a heel. Helmets will be pro-
vided and are required at all classes.**

Ironwood Farm offers English riding lessons on child-friendly Norwegian Fjords.

PONY RIDING I

Ages 4-6, 4 wks

Students will learn basic position and com-
mands. Emphasis is on building confidence and
skills on horseback at the walk. Students will
learn to walk, halt, and steer. Adult must lead
horse & child around riding ring while child
receives instruction. Only 5 students accepted.
No class 7/5

Instructor: Ironwood Farm Staff

Location: 10291 Homeland Road, Rixeyville

Registration Decision: 6/17

Sa 6/21-7/19 \$65

Option A: 9:30-10:00a

Option B: 10:15-10:45a

PONY RIDING II

Ages 4-6, 4 wks

Prerequisite: Pony Riding I at Ironwood Farm

This class is a continuation of what stu-
dents have already learned. Emphasis is on re-
fining their skills on horseback at the walk and
trot. Parent or other adult must lead horse &

child around riding ring while child receives
instruction. Only 5 students accepted.

Instructor: Ironwood Farm Staff

Location: 10291 Homeland Road, Rixeyville

Registration Decision: 6/17

Sa 6/21-7/19 11:00-11:30a \$65



White Buffalo Horse Farm offers English riding lessons using a variety of horse breeds.

INTRO TO HORSEBACK RIDING

Ages 7-adult, 4 wks

Lessons designed for anyone interested in
learning to ride. These hands-on classes will
cover novice horse safety, ground training,
grooming, tacking and understanding a vari-
ety of different types of horse equipment. The
riding portion is taught with classical funda-
mentals promoting proper seat, legs and hands.

Instructor: White Buffalo Horse Farm

Location: 4325 Muster Field Rd, Culpeper

Registration Decision: Wed. before class

M 4:00-5:00p \$125

Session I: 6/9-6/30

Session II: 7/7-7/28

Session III: 8/4-8/25

PRE-SCHOOL

BEGINNING TUMBLING I

Ages 2-5, 6 wks

Bring your little boys and girls out to learn the
proper way to tumble, through organized play.
Adult participation is required. Child must
meet age requirement by 7/1. Siblings may
not attend unless they meet the age eligibility

and are registered in the course.

Instructor: Joanne Munson

Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main

Registration Decision: 6/16

F 6/20-8/1 \$30 (no class 7/4)

Option A: 2-3.5 9:30-10:15am

Option B: 3.5-5 10:30-11:15a

ROCK & ROLL

Ages 2-5, 6 wks

Tumbling and dancing, together at last. Bring
your little one out for this high-energy class
where they will learn the proper way to tum-
ble, as well as getting to do some creative
dancing. Adult participation is required. Child
must meet age requirement by 7/1. Siblings
may not attend unless they meet the age eligi-
bility and are registered in the course.

Instructor: Joanne Munson

Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main

Registration Decision: 6/12

W 6/18-7/23 \$30

Option A: 2-3.5 9:30-10:15a

Option B: 3.5-5 10:30-11:15a

SENIORS

INTERESTED IN BECOMING A SILVER CLUB MEMBER?

The Club meets every Wednesday
from 10am – 2pm

Location: Culpeper County Library
Meeting Room

Fee: \$5 per year. Ages 55 and up
(Must be a Culpeper Resident)

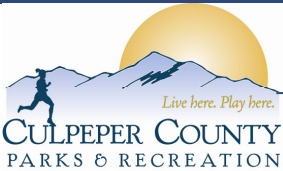
SILVER CITIZEN CLUB:

“Old age is not for sissies!”

~Bette Davis, actress~

Feel like meeting a few new
friends? Join us for Culpeper County
Parks and Recreation’s largest and
most entertaining program.

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Summer Schedule

Every Wednesday join fellow active adults and senior citizens at a weekly meeting. Enjoy a covered-dish lunch and participate in activities like bingo, speakers, trips, holiday parties, crafts and other projects. For many of Culpeper's seniors the program provides an environment where lasting friendships are created.

Don't expect the Silver Club to stay put every week. The club usually takes a trip every two months. Check out the ***Trips*** section on page 24 to see upcoming trips.

The Silver Club also stays informed of local happenings through its speaker program. Over the past year the group has listened to presentations from community organizations, police, businesses, county officials, entertainers, historians, authors, storytellers and other notable members of the community.

The Silver Club strives to benefit its members and the community-at-large. Now is the time to recycle your expertise and life experience and share it with others.

SENIOR CRAFTS

Ages 50+

Enjoy the company of fellow active seniors and create a wide array of crafts. This is an ongoing Silver Club activity held once a month after lunch.

Instructor: Frances Wood

Location: Culpeper Co. Library - Large Meeting Room

3rd Wed of each month, 1-2p

Fee: \$1.00 Silver Club Member /month
\$2.00 non-Silver Club Member/month

SENIOR WRITING CLUB

Ages 50+

Everyone has a story to tell. Learn to put your stories into words and enjoy

fun-filled writing exercises with fun-loving seniors. Don't worry about experience. We'll help you every step of the way.

Instructor: Marshall Conner

Location: Culpeper Co. Library - Large Meeting Room

2nd & 4th Wed of each month, 1-2p

Fee: \$1 yearly

SPECIAL EVENTS



SILVER SCREEN CLUB

Do you like classic films? Then join us for a Friday afternoon movie. Films are selected from American Film Institute's Top 100 Films List and for artistic merit. Most films are pre-1970s and tend to be from the 1930s to 1960s. Everyone is welcome to attend!

For specific titles to be shown contact Marshall Conner at mconner@culpepercounty.gov or at 540-727-3412 ext 6.

Dates: Jun. 6, 13, & 27; Jul 18, Aug 1

Times: 1:00 pm to approximately 3:30 pm (depending on film).

Location: GWC Piedmont Tech, 9432 James Madison Hwy, Rapidan

ADMISSION IS FREE!

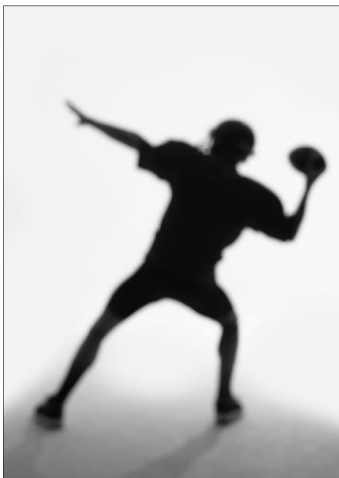


NFL PUNT PASS & KICK

Ages 8-15 (as of 12/31/08) 1 day
The NFL Pepsi PUNT, PASS & KICK program is a national skills

competition for boys and girls between the ages of 8 -15 (as of December 31, 2008) to compete separately against their peers.

Established in 1961, the PP&K program is the oldest NFL Youth Football program. Girls and boys in



four separate age divisions (8-9, 10-11, 12-13, and 14-15) compete against each other in punting, passing and place kicking in a fun and engaging forum. This event is FREE. Use the PPK registration form. A copy of participant's birth certificate MUST accompany registration. PPK Registration form will be available in the office & online or mail a self-addressed stamped envelope to the Parks and Recreation Office, Attn: PPK to receive a form by mail.

Location: Culpeper Community Complex

Date: Saturday in August or September, check website for specifics

Time: 10:00am



FIRST DAY OF SUMMER ANIME FILM FEST (THUNDER FEST)

Beat the heat and watch local film creations and watch a classic anime feature film Akira.

Meet fellow anime fans and screen a few local independent film shorts capped by a full-length anime feature.

If you have an independent anime film on DVD format, call us to see if your movie can be included in the film fest. We only ask that your films be rated at the PG-13 level and be screened by us prior to the film fest. Admission is \$2 to include a donation/raffle for prizes. There will also be an award for best submitted film and AMV's. Proceeds will benefit Healthy Culpeper's After School Art Program (ASAP). Film submissions need to be received at the Parks and Recreation office by June 13th.

Coordinator: Marshall Conner, mconner@culpepercounty.gov

Location: Carver Piedmont Tech Center Auditorium

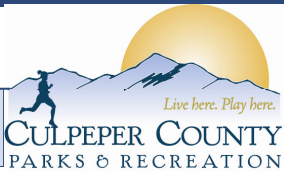
F 6/20 12n-5:30p \$2

NOW AVAILABLE, PARKS AND REC UPDATES VIA E-MAIL!

Simply go to

www.culpepercounty.gov/ParksNRec

and click on the picture of the computer on the top left of the screen. Follow the direction to receive monthly updates regarding activities, and much more by email!



Summer Schedule

SPORTS


INTRO TO CHEERLEADING

Ages 3-11, 4 wks
Curious about what it takes today to become a cheerleader? Then come on out to this 4-week class where basics of cheer, dance, stunts, and tumbling will be taught. These basics will help you to develop the skills necessary to become a cheerleader and allow you to have fun in the process.
Instructor: Culpeper Blue Angels All-star Cheer and Dance
Location: 19055 Industrial Drive, Culpeper (Inside the Culpeper Sports & Racquet Club off Lovers Lane)
Registration Decision: 6/12 ; 7/17
W 5:30-6:30p \$40
Session 1: 6/18-7/9
Option A: 3-6
Option B: 7-11
Session 2: 7/23-8/13
Option A: 3-6
Option B: 7-11

NFL PUNT, PASS, & KICK

See special events section

SENIOR SOFTBALL
EXPLORATION MEETING

 Ages 50 & up, 1 day
We are interested in starting a senior softball program at the Culpeper County Sports Complex. If you are interested, let's meet and brainstorm on how we can make it happen. Ideas about leagues, coaches, travel teams or just a fun pick-up game will be discussed. We need your input and energy. This is for male and female players over the age of 50. We'll provide the Gatorade.
Coordinator: Marshall Conner
Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main
Th 6/26 6:00p-7:00p **Free**




SUMMER CAMPS

BASKETBALL CAMP


Ages 7-11, 1 wk
Players of all skill levels are encouraged to come. This camp will use drills, games, and competitions to help improve fundamental basketball skills. Each player will leave with the skills necessary to practice and continuously improve. Each player will participate in several games throughout the week that will emphasize competitive play, with proper attitudes and good sportsmanship. Players need to bring a bottle of water (no glass containers).
Instructor: Ken Jennings
Location: Floyd T. Binns M.S. - gym
Reg. Decision: Option A: 6/27 Option B: 7/3
M-F 8:00a-12:00n \$85
(2nd child on same week \$65)
Option A: 11-16 7/14-7/18
Option B: 7-11yr 7/21-7/25

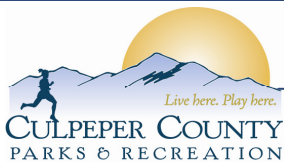


 **HORSE FANTASTIC CAMP**
Ages 7-16, 2 wks
This camp is for participants with little to no horse / horseback riding experience. For all those horse lovers out there, this is the camp for you. Nothing but horses for 2 weeks. Norwegian Fjords are known for their friendly and docile personalities. Working with these horses the campers will learn about safety around horses and basic horse knowledge. Camp will also include beginner riding lessons, horse related games, vid-

eos, activities, and more. The last day of camp will be an End Of Camp Game and Show-Off Day. Each child must have proper attire-MUST HAVE hard-soled shoes with a heel. For safety when riding, tennis shoes / sneakers are not permitted at camp. Long pants are required for riding, as well. Ironwood Farm will provide riding helmets. Each child should bring a bottle of water, snack, and a lunch (no glass containers). The farm has a fridge and microwave available. Parents / adult must provide transportation to and from the farm.
Instructor: Diana Phillips
Location: Ironwood Farm, 10291 Homeland Road, Rixeyville
Registration Decision: 6/6; 6/27; 7/11
M-F 9a-2p \$450
Session 1: Ages 7-16 6/16-6/27
Session 2: Ages 7-12 7/7-7/18
Session 2: Ages 13-16 7/21-8/1

EQUINE EXCELLENCE CAMP

 Ages 7-16, 2 wks
For the horse lover who has some riding experience, this is the camp for you! During the next two weeks you'll learn about safety around horses and basic horse knowledge. Receive riding lessons, play horse-related games, learn about prepping for a horse show, attire, show classes, and how to handle things with horses when they are not cooperating. Participants will also be able to participate in the Fjord Horse Show held at Frying Pan Park on 8/17 (show entry fees additional). Each participant must have proper attire-MUST HAVE hard-soled shoes with a heel. Tennis shoes / sneakers are not permitted at camp. Long pants are required for riding, as well. Ironwood Farm will provide riding helmets. Each participant should bring a bottle of water, snack, and a lunch (no glass containers). The farm has a fridge and microwave available. Parents / adult must provide transportation to and from the farm.
Instructor: Diana Phillips
Location: Ironwood Farm, 10291 Homeland Road, Rixeyville
Registration Decision: 7/25
M-F 8/4-15 9a-2p \$450



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MAD SCIENTIST CAMP

Ages 6-11, 1 wk
If you like to experiment, then this is the camp for you! Learn to make batteries from oranges and lemons; work with super powerful magnets; make a lava lamp and much more!

Instructor: Sciensational Workshops for Kids
Location: Culpeper Middle School
Registration Decision: 7/18
M-F 7/28-8/1 9a-12n \$130

Parents: sign your child up for Mad Scientist Camp and Diggers Delight to get a full day of fun. Lunch will be supervised, so send a bag lunch.



DIGGERS DELIGHT

Ages 6-11, 1 wk
In this camp you get to excavate for valuable gems, fascinating rocks and some ancient fossils.

All are yours to keep. Learn to identify what you find and discover the fun of archeology.
Instructor: Sciensational Workshops for Kids
Location: Culpeper Middle School
Registration Decision: 7/18
M-F 7/28-8/1 12:30-3:30p \$130



SUMMER VOLLEYBALL CLINIC

For rising 9-12 graders, 4 wks
Get ready for fall volleyball try-outs by coming to this clinic. Setting, passing, spiking, and much more will be covered in this clinic.

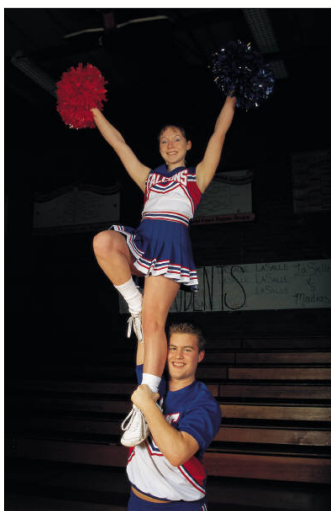
Instructors: Theresa Gore & Kevin Mazingo
Location: Emerald Hill Elementary School
Registration Decision: 7/2
Tue 7/8-7/29 6-8p \$130



CHEERLEADING CAMP

Ages 5-14, 1 wk
This camp is for current and aspiring cheerleaders. Come learn the basics of cheerleading including dance, tumbling and stunts thru fun games and drills. Campers need to bring a bag lunch, water bottle, and snack.

Instructor: Culpeper Blue Angels All-star Cheer and Dance
Location: 19055 Industrial Drive, Culpeper
(Inside the Culpeper Sports & Racquet Club off Lovers Lane)
Registration Decision: 6/20
M-Th 6/30-7/3 9:00a-4:00p \$125
Option A: 5-9 Option B: 10-14



KIDS KAN SIGN

Ages 4-8, 1 wk
Engage your young children in the adventure of learning a second language. American Sign Language incorporates the child's natural desire to move with language development skills that enrich the language experience and enhance early literacy. This thematic approach will expose children to eight new signs in classes addressing feelings, body, animals, people, alphabet, and numbers. (This class is designed for fun and general information, not as a substitute for professional instruction in ASL or advice with childhood health or learning problems.)

Instructor: Susan Peed
Location: Community Room, 303 N. Main
Registration Decision: 6/20; 7/18
Session 1: M-Th 6/30-7/3 10:00-11:30a \$70
Session 2: M-F 7/28-8/1 3:00-4:30p \$80
2nd child (from same household) \$22

WHITE BUFFALO HORSE CAMP

Ages 6-16, 1 wk
This camp provides an introduction to the total responsibility in caring for a horse. Participants will learn about feeding, field & stall maintenance, tack care, horse bathing and grooming. Riders will participate in ground training, bare-back riding, English & western disciplines and mild trail riding. On the final day the campers will exhibit the skills practiced during the week, as well as take home their horse craft project. Campers need to bring a water bottle & snack (no glass container). Only 8 spaces - register early.

Instructor: White Buffalo Horse Farm
Location: 4325 Muster Field Rd, Culpeper
Registration Decision: 6/13; 7/3
M-F \$320
Session 1: 6-10 yrs 6/23-6/27 9:00a-12:00n
Session 2: 11-16yrs 7/14-7/18 10:30a-1:30p

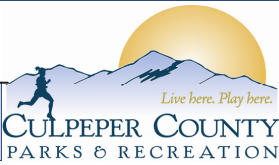
CAVALLINI KIDS CAMP

Ages 6-11, 1 wk
An introduction to Miniature Horses. Children will learn the basics of miniature horses, including handling and grooming. Emphasis is on relationship building with your horse. Class concludes with ½ hr. show. Please wear boots and bring a snack. Parents are encouraged to attend camp with their child. Class is limited to 6 children.

Instructors: Cavallini di Amore
Location: 15763 Auburn Rd, Culpeper
Registration Decision: 6/13; 7/18; 7/25
M-F 9:00-11:30a \$125
Session I – Ages 6-7 6/23-6/27
Session II – Ages 8-9 7/28-8/1
Session III – Ages 10-11 8/4-8/8



Registration Information & Form on page 25 & 26



Summer Schedule

TRIPS

BALTIMORE INNER HARBOR

Time to get away for the day. Travel to Baltimore on a motor coach and enjoy hundreds of exhibits and the more than 14,000 animals. Or tour the Inner Harbor on your own. Or how about the best option, do both! We'll be spending approximately 6 hours in Baltimore. That's plenty of time to enjoy the Aquarium and the Inner Harbor. Registration fee includes bus travel and admission to the Baltimore Aquarium and the Dolphin Show. Lunch is on your own.

Coordinator: Tabitha Riley

Registration Deadline: 6/5

Sat	6/21	7a-5:30p
Option A:	under 3	\$37
Option B:	3-18 yrs	\$51
Option C:	19+	\$60



GREASE!

Join the Silver Club for a trip to Riverside Dinner Theater to see GREASE.

This show has all the great songs and dance numbers that will transport you back to Rydell High School in the 1950s with Danny, Sandy, Riz and all the rest. You will also enjoy a great meal. Though this is a senior-oriented trip, the public and non-Silver Club guests are welcome! Fee includes dinner, show, bus, performer gratuity.

Coordinator: Marshall Conner

Pick up Location: Culpeper Sports Complex

Registration Deadline: 6/27

W	7/9	10:30a-5:30p	\$62
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TWILIGHT HIKE

Come enjoy a hike at Shenandoah National Park as the natural world settles into evening. Hiking out into the 'big meadow' at dusk, through the dramatic changing colors of the mountain sky, and eventually, the incredible spread of the summer night sky with its multitude of stars...(at 3,500 ft, you are high above the haze and light pollution of the mid-Atlantic) truly an unforgettable experience. A jacket is definitely recommended, even following the warmest summer day, and a small flashlight can also be helpful. Difficulty: OK for small children who may need to be carried, or folks who may require the assistance of a cane. Mostly level to gently rolling terrain with some rocks and roots to be avoided. Distance covered less than 2 miles. Travel will be by mini van. Only 15 spaces available.

Coordinator: Tabitha Riley

Pick up location: Culpeper Sports Complex

Registration Deadline: 7/3

Sa	7/19	5:00p-12:00a	\$25
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NASCAR

Gentlemen, Start your engines! And the rumbling thunder begins. NASCAR is great on TV, but it's so much better in person. Come and enjoy the best short track on the racing circuit. NASCAR is at it's best at Richmond International Raceway. Registration fee includes: Travel on a motor coach; Exclusive Pre-Race PIT PASS (from 2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m., time and weather permitting); Appetizers from 2:00 p.m. - 3:00 p.m.; All you can eat dinner buffet from 3:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m.; Unlimited sodas and water; Question and Answer Session with a driver; Live band; Souvenir event program and prizes.

Registration fee is payable in 3 payments of \$87.00.

Registration deadline and Final Payment is due by 6/30

Coordinator: Tabitha Riley

Pick up location: Culpeper Sports Complex

Sat	9/6	11:15a-1:15a	\$261
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VIRGINIA SCOTTISH GAMES

Join the Silver Club for the 2008 Highland Games among the green-rolling hills of Sky Meadows State Park in Delaplane, VA. Come celebrate all things Scottish including bagpipes, Celtic music, highland athletics, dancing, clan tents, crafts, food, border collies, food and drinks. Wear your best kilt and munch on a steamy haggis with us. Fee includes event admission & bus.

Coordinator: Marshall Conner

Pick-up location: Culpeper Sports Complex

Registration Deadline: 9/2

Sa	9/13	8:00a-5:00p	\$45
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NATIONAL ZOO

Lions, tigers, and bears, Oh My! Join us as we travel up to the Smithsonian National Zoo to see the 400 different species of animal residing there. And the best part of this trip is we do the driving into DC! All you have to do is show up, get on the motor coach, enjoy the zoo, and we'll bring you back. No fuss, no muss. You get to enjoy more than 2,000 individual animals at the zoo, without the headaches of traffic.

Coordinator: Tabitha Riley

Pick up Location: Culpeper Sports Complex

Registration Deadline: 9/25

Sat	10/11	8:00a-5:00p	\$35
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TRIP FAQ'S

- All ages are welcome. Anyone under 18 must be accompanied by an adult, unless otherwise noted.
- Pre-registration is required for all trips by the registration deadline.
- All trips will be picking up and returning to the Culpeper Sports Complex at the corner of Jonas Road and Greens Corner Road. Map available online.
- The starting time listed is when the bus will be leaving the parking lot. You need to be at the pick-up location before this time. Return times are approximate.
- If minimum has been met by the deadline, registration will continue to be accepted until the trip is full.
- Bus driver gratuities are not included in the registration fee.

Culpeper County Parks & Recreation Registration Form

Program Name: _____ Dates: _____ Time: _____ Cost: _____
Session: _____ Option: _____ Day(s): M Tu W Th F Sa Su
Participant Name: _____ ☐M ☐F Age/Grade: ____/____ Birth Date: ____/____/____
Mailing Address: _____ City / Zip: _____/_____

OFFICE USE ONLY	
Amount Paid _____	Cash _____
Balance Due _____	Check _____
Date Paid _____	Other _____

Please list any allergies, medication, restrictions, or special accommodations that the participant has that staff needs to know about.

Phone: Hm: (____) _____ Wk: (____) _____ Cell: (____) _____
Email address: _____@_____ (will never be sold or distributed)
Parent/Guardian(s) Name (if participant is under 18): _____
Emergency Contact: _____ Relationship: _____
Phone: Hm: (____) _____ Wk: (____) _____ Cell: (____) _____

Media Release: ☐YES ☐NO INITIAL _____ I understand that I may be photographed and/or videotaped while participating in this activity. I agree to allow Culpeper County Parks & Recreation Department to use said photographs and/or videotapes in Department publications, media campaigns, educational and/or safety purposes, but not for any profit-making activity. I further waive any remuneration for publishing and/or printing such photographs of me. I understand that by affixing my signature on this form that I attest to having read, fully understand and agree to the conditions as set forth above.

Assumption of Risk and Release: In agreeing to participate in the program, as an adult participant or as a parent or a guardian of a participant, I and/or the participant do hereby affirm that the general health of the participant is good, and that the participant is not adversely affected by exercise, and that the participant is capable of performing an activity of this nature. In consideration of participating in this activity, I and/or the participant do hereby assume all risk of any injury to the participant and will indemnify and hold harmless, from any and all liability, action, cause of action, claims, and demands of every kind or nature whatsoever that I and/or the participant have or which arise from or in connection with my participation in this activity, the County of Culpeper, Virginia, the County Board of Supervisors, the Culpeper County Department of Parks and Recreation, the Culpeper County School Board, the Town of Culpeper, and all their officers, agents, employees, staff, volunteers and successors. It is likewise assumed and agreed that the participant will, at his own expense, wear the proper clothing and protective equipment during the activity, and that it is the responsibility of the participant or parent or guardian to make sure the criteria are met. I grant my permission to the county or its agents to transport the participant to and from an event or activity when required and hold harmless those assigned to transport. I also agree to allow transportation of the participant to the nearest physician or hospital for medical treatment and agree to allow for immediate first aid to the injured participant, if and when deemed necessary.

Participant Signature (7yrs & older) _____ Parent / Guardian Signature (if participant 17 or younger) _____ Date _____

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Please only one program per form. Photocopies of form are acceptable.

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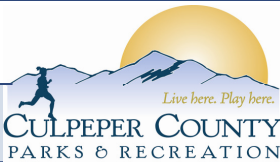
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2 EASY WAYS TO REGISTER!



Walk-In

- Registration will be accepted at the Parks and Recreation Office, at 155 W. Davis St. Suite 100 from 8:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m., Monday through Friday (except holidays).



By Mail

- Complete a registration form and mail with payment, cash, check or money order payable to: Culpeper County Parks and Recreation, **155 W. Davis Street, Suite 100, Culpeper, Virginia 22701.**
- Please include a self-addressed, stamped envelope, if you **require** registration confirmation.

Registration Information



Registrations:

- Registrations are welcome upon distribution of class information. Full payment must accompany registration in the form of cash, checks, or money order payable to Culpeper County Parks and Recreation.
- Registrations are accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Anyone can participate regardless of County of residence.
- The Department is unable to accept telephone registrations at this time.

Registration Decision:

- The registration decision date is when the Department has to have the minimum number of registrations to offer the activity. If the minimum is met by this date, registrations will continue to be accepted, unless otherwise stated, until the activity is full. However, if minimum is not met by this date, the activity will not be held. So for everyone’s benefit, please have your registration in before the decision date.

Refunds:

- If a participant needs to withdraw from a program, a full refund will be issued if the Parks and Recreation Department has been notified before the start of the second class.
- If a participant withdraws from a program after the start of the second class, then a pro-rated refund, less a \$3 processing fee, will be issued.
- Refunds for one-day activities and all bus/van trips will be given in full, prior to the registration deadline. After the registration deadline re-funds, less a \$3 processing fee, are **only given** if a substitute(s) is found and that substitute(s) registers with the Department before the activity/trip date.

Cancellation Policies:

- The Parks and Recreation Department reserves the right to cancel activities for any reason. Refunds are given for any canceled programs.
- The Parks and Recreation Department programs will be canceled when Culpeper County Public Schools cancel or close early, for inclement weather, natural disasters or other occurrences.
- Please listen to the following radio stations for closing announcements: 92.5 FM, 95.9 FM, 103.1 FM, 104.5 FM, & 107.7 FM, visit www.cancellations.com, or call our office at 540-727-3412 and select option 1.

Adjustments

- Department staff has made every effort to prepare this section of the *Culpeper Minutes* as accurately as possible, however, errors can occur. Circumstances may require that adjustments be made to programs, fees, schedules, etc. The Department reserves the right to make any necessary adjustments. The staff apologizes for any inconvenience these errors or adjustments may cause.

THE LEISURE TIMES RECREATION GUIDE

Below is a listing of non-profit recreational groups based in Culpeper County. These are not operated by the Parks and Recreation Department.

YOUTH SPORTS:

Culpeper Football Association -
Greg Hackley - 540-547-3991

Culpeper Youth Football -

John Fotenos - 540-825-1854

Culpeper Youth Basketball -

Greg Ward - 540-547-9188

Culpeper Youth Baseball -

Kenny Jackson - 540-547-9099

Rappahannock Culpeper Baseball -

www.rappculpbaseball.com

Culpeper Lacrosse Association Foundation -

Scott Found - 540-825-3530

Culpeper Soccer Association –

www.culpepersoccer.net

Culpeper Wrestling Federation

Mark Hamilton - 540-547-2696

ADULT SPORTS:

Culpeper Adult Flag Football League - Paul or
Amiee Hoffman - 540-923-4683

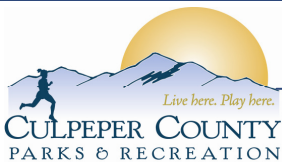
COMMUNITY:

Blue Ridge Chorale of Culpeper -

Judy Gore - 540-825-2859

Culpeper Blue Angels All-star Cheer & Dance

Kym Majors - 540-727-2087



Summer Schedule

Discount Theme Park Tickets

BUSCH GARDENS

-FUN CARDS: \$57.00 - Ages 3 & up -
Good for unlimited visits March 21- September 1
-available for Va Residents only.

-DISCOUNT DAYS: \$44.00
Ages 3 & up - Valid only June 1 thru September 1, 2008

Busch Gardens Europe in Williamsburg, VA is open March 21 through October 26, 2008 at 10 am. Visit www.buschgardens.com for the full 2008 park operating schedule.
Gate prices are \$56.95 for ages 10 and older and \$49.95 for ages 3-9. Children two and under are free.

KINGS DOMINION

-GOOD ANY DAY of the 2008 season - \$39.00

-PAY ONCE VISIT TWICE: \$53.00 all ages
Pay one time, and visit the park on two separate days.
Days do not have to be consecutive; tickets are non-transferable.

-TEEN DAYS - \$29.00 all ages
TICKETS ARE NOT LIMITED TO TEENS.
Tickets are only valid June 21 - July 6, 2008.
Tickets are good for anyone ages 3 & up,

-PARKS AND RECREATION DAYS - \$29.00 all ages
Tickets are only valid July 19 - August 3, 2007.
Tickets are good for anyone ages 3 & up.

Kings Dominion is open March 22 through November 1 for the 2008 season. Water Works, Kings Dominion's waterpark is open May 24 through September 1, 2008.
Visit www.kingsdominion.com for the full 2008 park operating schedule and more information.
The front gate price for a single day admission ticket is \$51.95 for adults (ages 3 to 61 AND 48 inches tall or taller) and \$29.95 for juniors/seniors (ages 3 to 61 AND under 48 inches tall -OR- ages 62 and older). Ages 2 and younger are free.

SIX FLAGS AMERICA

-GOOD ANY DAY of the 2008 season - \$26.00

Six Flags America is open April 26 through November 2 for the 2008 season. Hurricane Harbor, Six Flags America's water park, is open May 24 through September 1, 2008. Visit www.sixflags.com/america for the full 2008 park operating schedule.
Tickets are valid any one regular operating day in 2008. The gate prices are \$49.99 plus tax for adults and \$29.99 plus tax for children under 48 inches tall. Children ages 2 and younger are free. Parking is \$15.

At this time we are unable to accept credit cards. Please pay with cash or checks, payable to Culpeper Co. Parks and Rec. (Checks are preferred.)
If paying with more than one form of payment (cash and check), each form of payment must cover the full cost of a ticket.

Theme Park tickets must be **PURCHASED IN PERSON** at Culpeper Co. Parks and Recreation Office at 155 W. Davis Street, Suite 100, Culpeper. Office hours are Monday - Friday, 8:00am—5:00pm (excluding holidays). 540-727-3412 opt 4